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REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Certificate

Assistant Commissioner Of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231
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Dear Sirs:

This is a request that a certificate of correction be issued for the above-referenced patent to correct an error in failing to include claim amendments entered by the Examiner before issuance. The request is based on an error of the PTO under 35 U.S.C. § 254 and therefore no fee has been included.

On May 1, 2002, applicant submitted an "Amendment After Allowance Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 And Clarification Of Title." (See Exhibit A which includes a copy of the Amendment). In the Amendment it was requested that claims 1, 34, 50, and 57 be amended. On July 9, 2002, the Examiner entered the amendments for claims 1, 34, 50, and 57 as indicated by the attached Office Communication (See Exhibit B). However, when the patent issued the amendments were not included in the issued patent.

Accordingly, applicant requests that a certificate of correction be issued amending the claims as set forth in the amendment as entered. Completed Forms PTO/SB/44 have been included to facilitate issuance of the requested certificate of correction. To facilitate clarity, the complete claims to be corrected (1, 34, 50, and 57) have been included in the Certificate of Correction.

The Commissioner is respectfully petitioned for any extension of time necessary to render this response timely.

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Please charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0694.

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